

The story written by one of the jurors throws some interesting side lights on the juryroom procedure. According to this account, when they retired after the judge's charge they gathered about the big table in the center of the room and engaged in prayer. With the foreman in the chair, parliamentary rules were then adopted and these were adhered to throughout. Discussion was largely in the nature of a formal debate.

STEELE DIDN'T LIKE PFAFF'S INTIMATION

Latter Used Word "Fixed" and Brother Juror Wanted to Fight It Out With Him.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, April 13.—H. C. Harney, one of the jurors who tried Harry Thaw, in a statement to-day, said that several of the jurors almost came to blows in discussing the case in the juryroom.
"On Friday," said Mr. Harney, "we had quite a great deal of excitement. About 1 A. M. I was trying to catch some sleep, when two or three others, while others argued and argued, I said something about members of the jury being fixed. I supposed myself being accused and, knowing the untruthfulness of the charge, I simply laughed it off and paid no attention to it.
"Juror Steele, however, was awakened by this statement, and, being of a highly-sensitive nature, resented this insinuation strongly, and seemed very indignant. He became more indignant as the time went by.
"We left for breakfast at 7 A. M. going to the Broadway Central Hotel. While I was in my room, getting together some toilet articles, I heard the resumption of the scrap between Steele and Pfaff in an adjoining room. A personal encounter was prevented by Mr. Frazier. Steele rushed into my room and said: 'Mr. Harney, I have never been so insulted by any person in my life, and he had tears in his eyes as he said this, and his hand was bruised.'

PHANTOM SCHEME, RAYNER DECLARES

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virtues that we propose to practice in the event of our success. I would give the country something a little new in the way of a Democratic decalogue. I would, of course, incorporate a plank for a low tariff and for commercial reciprocity with the trading nations of the world. I would then add a plank declaring that there is no such thing as an unwritten Constitution of the United States; that if it requires change, it must be amended, not by Secretary Root, but by the suffrages of the people; and that it is a treasonable act to insert into it, whether by judicial construction or otherwise, any power or grant that is not confined within the well-defined authority and limitations of the instrument.

In obedience to the Constitution, I would then unequivocally declare for the supremacy of the States, and not yield the smallest portion of their sovereign rights over matters of local and domestic concern that lie clearly within their province and their jurisdiction. I would then explicitly announce that the Democratic party is in favor of the strict and impartial enforcement of every Federal enactment upon the statute book, and that the greater and the more powerful the criminal who violates it, the more severe should be the penalties that ought to be visited upon him.

"I would then announce, that the party is not in favor of territorial ex-

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pansion; that our arms should be stacked, and a halt be called in our march of aggrandizement; and that while we do not object to this government becoming a world power upon the field of commerce, and of enterprise and of civilization, upon the field of war we do not propose to unite with other robber governments in the despoliation of foreign territory and in the conquest of helpless races.
"If the Democratic party will take a stand for principles substantially like these, in my humble judgment, and rid itself of the delusion that it can attain success by simply becoming an annex of the Republican party, then I believe there is a chance for victory; and if we are defeated again, then at least we will have the comfort and the consolation of knowing that we went down fighting for a principle."

Colonel Harvey's Views.
Colonel George B. M. Harvey, in the course of an address denounced those Democrats "who eat the crumbs of patronage from the hand that smote them, and lick the boot whose impact they have felt." He referred also to the "perfidious leader, who hobbles like a cripple in the wake of his successful rival, gathering as he goes the few scraps that are left of his own failures."
He said the President's policy had already caused the abandonment of large commercial undertakings; that every one that had anything at stake "thank God in their hearts for the promise to force a third term, and devoutly pray through, with no little misgiving, for the keeping of the pledge."

HONDURAN WILL BE COMMANDANT

General Sierra Named in Dispatch as Next Official Head of Amapala.

SPECIAL CONFERENCE HELD

Regarded as Meaning Partial Recognition of Provisional Government.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 13.—The Navy Department to-day received from Commander Doyle, of the United States gunboat Chicago, which is in Pacific waters off Central America, an important dispatch relative to plans for a conference between Presidents Zelaya, of Nicaragua, and Figuera, of Salvador, looking to the settlement of the Nicaragua-Honduras-Salvador War. The dispatch was sent to the State Department, and there followed a conference between Assistant Secretary Bacon and Minister Corea, of Nicaragua.

Commander Doyle stated that General Sierra, of the Honduras provisional government, which was set up by Honduras revolutionists after the defeat and flight of President Bonilla as the result of his several engagements with the Nicaraguan forces, is to be commandant at Amapala. The conference between Presidents Zelaya and Figuera will take place at Amapala on board a United States gunboat, to be anchored at Amapala. The fact that a Honduran general, who was one of the candidates of the revolutionists for the presidency against Bonilla, is to be in command at Amapala during the conference is regarded here as at least a partial recognition of the provisional government set up after the rout of the Honduran forces. If this proves to be true, a settlement of the dispute, it is believed, will be easily accomplished at the coming conference.

When the Doyle dispatch was sent Amapala had not fully completed its surrender. There were Salvadoran troops in Amapala, and with regard to these it has been agreed that they should be permitted to embark for La Union, Salvador, taking with them all officers, personal property and firearms. This fact that there was Salvadoran troops there makes it impossible for Salvador to disguise further the fact that this country was an ally of Honduras, and actually at war with Nicaragua.

It was further stated that arrangements are now being made for the election of a constitutional president in Honduras.

MIDDIES MAY ENTER POUGHKEEPSIE RACES

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Secretary Metcalf has given his consent to the participation of a crew of midshipmen in the intercollegiate rowing races at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 26th. This will be the first time in many years that the middies have had an opportunity to match their strength and skill (outside of their own waters) against the aquatic material of the great colleges and universities.

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Ordinance Providing for a Crematory Will Be Offered in the Board.

WILL MEET WITH FAVOR

Citizens Interested in Proposition for New City Hall—Personal and Briefs.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday night an ordinance will likely be introduced calling for an appropriation sufficient to cover the expense of the erection of a crematory for the city. Such a measure will have the hearty support of the Board of Health, and will be recommended favorably. It is said, by the Council members of the Health Committee.

Members of the Board of Health have for some time had the idea of a crematory under discussion, and one member has been diligently at work for the past week or more in an attempt to gather data concerning crematories in different cities. A member of the Board of Health stated yesterday that no information was vouchsafed by Richmond officials concerning the crematory there.

Only Trifling Arrest.

Junius Cephas, a negro, was arrested yesterday by Officer Watts, of Oak Grove, charged with having a suspicious character. A negro woman with a bad reputation reported the man, saying that he had tried to entice some negro children away from their homes. A report was started to the effect that the negro was the same one who made an attempt to assault two young girls of Church Hill. The officers give little credence to this report. Cephas has been in the Manchester Police Court several times.

May Be a Stir.

A called meeting of the Almshouse and Poor Committee will be held to-morrow night. There are rumors afloat that something exciting will happen at the meeting. It was said on the street that an executive session would be held, but this is thought to be correct. Months ago the Councilman placed themselves on record as being opposed to secret sessions, and they were at the time given credit for this action by the public.

About New City Hall.

Considerable interest was manifested throughout the city yesterday, when it became generally known that an ordinance had been offered in the Assembly looking to the erection of a new City Hall. Some are opposed to building a City Hall that will cost less than \$25,000, while others say that the amount stipulated in the ordinance is too small. Assemblyman L. R. Brown, \$15,000—will be sufficient.
If a new City Hall is to be built it will stand either at the corner of Tenth and Hull, the site of the present fire department building, or will occupy the site of the market building, in which the superintendent of water has an office, and where the Police Court is also held.

Funeral Yesterday.

The funeral of Mr. Robert M. Powell, who died Friday afternoon from paralysis, took place from the home of his son, Mr. Curtis M. Powell, No. 511 West Tenth Street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in Maury Cemetery.
The funeral of Mrs. Brown will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of Mrs. M. R. Catlett, in Swansboro. Rev. J. T. Routten will conduct the services. Interment will be made in Maury Cemetery.

Concert to Be Given.

The program for the concert to be given in Fifth Street Methodist Church Thursday evening by Mr. R. C. Sainsbury, assisted by Miss Viola Diacott, has been completed, and the members are looking forward with great deal of pleasure to the entertainment. The program is as follows:
Chorus—"Gloria," from Twelfth Mass (Mozart), in C.
Duet—"Saviour, Breathe An Evening Blessing," Miss V. Diacott and Miss G. Mallonee.
Recitative and Solo—"And as Moses Lifted Up the Serpent in the Wilderness" (Stainer), in G. Mr. J. O. Sales, Jr.
Chorus (unaccompanied)—"God So Loved the World" (Stainer), in G.
Solo—"O God, Be Merciful" (Homer Bartlett), Miss V. Diacott.
Chorus—"My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord" (Mars), in C.
Quartet—"Rock of Ages," Miss V. Diacott, Miss G. Mallonee, Mr. J. O. Sales, Jr., and Mr. A. C. Greenmore.
Chorus—"From the Throne of His Cross" (Stainer), in E.
Solo—"O Jesus, Thou Art Standing" (Bartlett), in C. Miss G. Mallonee.
Chorus—"We Praise Thee, O God" (Mars), in C.
Solo—"O Rest in the Lord" (from Mendelssohn's "Elijah"), Miss Grace Green.

THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia and North Carolina—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; warmer Sunday in west portion; fresh west winds.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Richmond's weather was cold and cloudy. Range of the thermometer:
9 A. M. 40 2 P. M. 53
12 M. 46 9 P. M. 53
3 P. M. 50 12 midnight 54
Highest temperature yesterday 50
Lowest temperature yesterday 35
Mean temperature yesterday 42
Normal temperature yesterday 56
Departure from normal temperature: 14

THIS DAY LAST YEAR.
9 A. M. 65 6 P. M. 74
12 M. 74 9 P. M. 65
3 P. M. 78 12 midnight 65
Average 70.5

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.
(At 8 P. M. Eastern Time.)
Place Weather.
Asheville, N. C. 30 84 Rain
Augusta 44 52 Clear
Atlanta, Ga. 36 48 Clear
Charlotte 40 78 Rain
Galveston, Tex. 60 70 P. cloudy
Hattiesburg, N. C. 46 52 Clear
Jacksonville 58 68 Clear
New Orleans 64 78 Clear
Tallahassee 42 58 Clear
Savannah 50 60 Clear
Norfolk, Va. 40 50 Clear
Pamlico, N. C. 40 52 Clear
Washington 44 48 Clear
Wilmington 40 52 Clear

MINIATURE ALMANAC, APRIL 14, 1907.
Sun rises 5:58
Sun sets 6:43
Moon sets 3:50
HIGH TIDE, Morning 6:50
Evening 6:13

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Personals and Briefs.
Mrs. J. W. Walthall and children have returned from West Point, where they visited Mrs. J. B. Hanson.
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Moore have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Florence Gertrude, to Mr. Joseph W. Clary, on the 21th inst.



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CASH or CREDIT.

Candidates for the Legislature Speak to Clay Ward Actives.

TEN ATTEND THE MEETING

Mr. Blair Asserts That the Legislature Is in Need of Business Men.

The Clay Ward Actives held a meeting last night and heard most of the candidates for both branches of the Legislature. It was the "first trial" of the campaign, and though the crowd could not be considered a large one, those who were present displayed a good deal of enthusiasm for their respective favorites. Messrs. Harman, Minor and Blair told their stories how much they desired to go to the Senate, and no fewer than seven gentlemen expressed their hope to occupy seats in the House.

Alderman V. T. Danbey was present, and on motion of his former colleague, Public Printer Davis Bottom, he was invited to make an address. Mr. Danbey commended the Actives for keeping up their organization, when nearly all of the other Democratic clubs in the city have disbanded, and on this point he was loudly applauded.

Those Who Spoke.

Senator Harman was the first candidate to speak. He told of his long service in the two branches of the Legislature, and asked his friends to vote for him for re-election to the upper branch. Mr. Minor followed, and made a fine impression. He said in dealing against his competitors, and announced that he would appreciate the support of his Clay Ward fellow-citizens.

Mr. Blair was the last speaker for the Senate, Mr. Folkes having been absent.

The former Alderman made some striking utterances. One was to the effect that he did not believe there were ten business men in the Legislature. He declared that though he was a business man he had "thrown his business to the wind" in order to serve the city in the Board of Aldermen.

Colonel Eugene C. Massie made an appeal for re-election to the House. He dwelt at length upon his Torrens system views, but declared emphatically that he was not a man of an idea.

Messrs. Peyton, Fuller, Glenn and Cox told briefly of what they had done in the House, and asked that they be returned upon the record they had made.

Mr. Blake Makes a Hit.

It is doing none of the other gentlemen any injustice to say that one of the decided hits of the evening was made by Mr. John J. Blake, who aspired to a seat in the House. Mr. Blake is a young lawyer, and is a speaker of no mean ability. He was interrupted at least half a dozen times by applause during his remarks, which were by no means prolonged. He declared that he had no public past by which his hearers could judge his public future, but promised if elected to seat in the House to perform the duties of the position fairly, honestly and fearlessly.

The meeting afforded the candidates the first opportunity to give utterance to their views, and was in every respect a success.
Councilman E. W. Miner, who is president of the other officers were present and at their posts.

MIXING IN POLITICS.

Commissioner Green Will Go to North Carolina.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Commissioner Green, of the Civil Service Commission, will go next week to North Carolina for the purpose of making a series of investigations to ascertain the facts about charges made by United States Senator Simmons, as chairman of the Democratic Central Commission of that State, to the effect that many of the Federal officials of the State are actively engaged in politics. Mr. Green will begin his work at Statesville on the 20th, and will conclude it at Elizabeth City on May 10th. In the meantime, visiting Capt. Greenboro, Winston-Salem, Wilkesboro, Raleigh, Beaufort and Newbern.

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